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# RAINBOW GARDENS

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**GREETINGS:** I want to express my deep appreciation for your past patronage, and extend my best wishes for a happy and prosperous 1955.

**POSTAGE:** If you will enclose a little to help with the postage, I will put in double that amount in extra bulbs or one of my choice new ones, worth twice that amount. Thanks.

**ABLAZE** (Roberts) (E). A flashy medium size red and yellow novelty. Grand.

M-\$1.50, S-\$1.00.

**ACE OF SPADES.** Glossy black red. Fine.

M-20c, six for \$1.00.

**ATLANTIC.** Heavily ruffled, coral red. A real stand-out.

L-25c, Five for \$1.00, M-Seven for \$1.00.

**BERMUDA** (Roberts). Coral pink with white throat. Heavily ruffled. Very lovely.

M-\$1.50.

**BOISE BELLE** (Roberts). Great exhibition glad. Will open 12 heavily ruffled florets.

M-2 for 25c, 10 for \$1.00.

**BLUE DAWN.** Very attractive light blue, lighter throat. Healthy grower.

L-40c, M-30c.

**BURMA ROSE** (563). Sport of Burma. Extra good. M-60c, S-35c.

**BUFF QUEEN** (Lines). Nicely ruffled rich buff. Long spike. One of the best.

L-25c, M-20c.

**BONNIE BRAE.** Blush pink, lighter throat. Has real class.

L-25c, M-20c.

**BLUE DEVIL.** Blue violet novelty. Striking.

M-\$1.00, Three for \$2.50.

**CARMEN CORLISS** (Roberts). 430. Glistening light coral pink, bright yellow lip. A beauty.

L-\$1.50, M-\$1.00; Blts., 10-\$1.00.

**CHINOOK** (Lines). 532. Huge, tall salmon without markings. Lovely color.

L-35c, M-25c, six for \$1.00.

**CHAMOIS** (Mikle). Color, chamois or light buff with faint pink suffusion. Long spike of 22 buds, 10 open. A perfect ribbon of color. A '55 release. A real champion if I ever saw one. Get a start now.

L-\$2.00, M-\$1.00, S-75c; Blts., 20c with a bulb.

**CHARTREUSE.** Light greenish yellow of great beauty. Color doesn't fade. Opens 8 5-inch heavily ruffled florets on a 20-bud spike. A standout.

L-80c, M-60c, S-35c; Blts., 12 for \$1.00.

**CHERUB.** Heavily ruffled pure white with small red throat blotch. Opens 7-4 1/2-inch florets on a 19-bud spike. A real little Cherub.

L-30, four for \$1.00, M-20c, 6 for \$1.00; Blts., 20 for \$1.00.

**CRATER LAKE.** Large violet blue, cream throat feather. 20-bud spike. Extra good.

L-\$1.00, M-75c; Blts, 12 for \$1.00.

**DELIGHT** (Roberts). 430. Lovely creamy salmon, lighter center, heavily ruffled. A beauty.

M-\$1.50, S-\$1.00; Blts., 10 for \$1.50.

**DESERET.** Rich salmon pink with orange throat. Almost identical to Coral Ace.

L-40c, M-30c.

**DIVINITY** (Roberts). 306. Clear rich cream, no markings. Heavily ruffled. A sure winner in its class.

L-\$1.00, M-75c; Blts., 10 for 50c.

**DOVE WING** (Lines). 440. Delicate shell pink florets covered with a transparent glow. Pink crescent in throat. Height 55 inches. Opens 7 on a 22-bud spike. Exquisitely beautiful.

L-75c, M-50c, 3 for \$1.00, S-30c, 4 for \$1.00; Blts., 15 for \$1.00.

**NOTICE:** For medium I generally put in No. 3 or larger.

**EDGEWOOD.** 461. Medium rose with lavender feather. Opens 8 on a 20-bud spike. Never crooks. Grand.

L-50c, 3 for \$1.25, M-35c, 4 for \$1.25; Blts., 10 for 50c.

**EVENING STAR.** Pure white, heavily ruffled. Good. L-75c, M-50c, 5 for \$2.00.

**FIREBALL** (Lines). 450. Brilliant scarlet red. Real eye catcher. Opens 8-5-inch florets on a 20-bud spike. Early bloomer and good cutter.

L-30c, 4 for \$1.00, M-20c, 6 for \$1.00.

**FIRE OPAL.** 422. Bright salmon orange, yellow throat. Excellent color value.

M-75c, S-50c.

**FLASHLIGHT** (Roberts). 237. A flashy salmon-scarlet with bright yellow throat. Very popular.

L-\$1.50, M-\$1.00; Blts., 10 for \$1.00.

**GOLD BANK.** 412. Rich light yellow. Opens 10 on a 20-bud spike. Nothing finer in a yellow.

L-40c, 3 for \$1.00, M-30c, 4 for \$1.00.

**HARRISBURGER.** 552. Marvelous, brilliant red. A sensation.

M-75c, 3 for \$2.00; Blts., 10 for \$1.00.

**HEIRLOOM.** 566. Beautiful lavender with lighter throat. A standout.

M-75c, 3 for \$2.00.

**JOYFUL.** 432. Rich, deep salmon. Opens 10 on a nice, long spike. Extra fine.

M-2 for 30c.

**KING COTTON** (Roberts). 500. Tall frilled pure white. Great show and commercial glad. Does well from medium size bulbs.

M-\$1.50, S-\$1.00.

**KING DAVID.** 570. Rich Royal purple. White picotee edge. A favorite.

L-25c, M-20c, 6 for \$1.00.

**KING SIZE.** 531. Light salmon pink, rosy throat. A real giant.

M-50c, 3 for \$1.25.

**KING OF THE BLACKS.** 554. Almost black with a velvety sheen. Grand.

L-40c, M-30c; Blts., 10 for 50c.

**KARLA KAY** (Lines). The nearest to a sky blue lavender I have ever seen. Lighter throat. The florists use it with red roses for casket piece. It surely makes up lovely. Opens 7-5-inch florets on a 19-bud spike. Excellent cutter. Very healthy. Good propagator. Early. Am sure you will like it.

L-75c, M-50c, 3 for \$1.00.

**LA VALLE** (Lines). 507. Light ivory with cream. Small orange throat mark. Five feet tall. 8-5-inch florets open on a 19-bud spike. Excellent.

L-35c, 4 for \$1.00, M-25c, 6 for \$1.00.

**LAVENDER BLUE.** 576. Light grayish blue, faint throat lines. A different color. Outstanding.

L-\$1.00, M-75c; Blts., 10 for \$1.00.

**LAVENDER PETUNIA.** 269. Deep lavender with snow white throat. A stunning color combination. One of the cutest miniatures. Short supply. Demand great.

L-60c, M-50c; Blts., 10 for \$1.00.

**LUDI** (Lines). A royal purple of great beauty. Will hold its own with the best of the purples.

L-50c, M-35c; Blts., 15 for \$1.00.

**MARGERY.** 462. Bright medium rose, darker shadings. Husky grower, good propagator. A real whiz.

M-\$1.00, 5 for \$4.00.

**MYRNA RAY** (Lines). 466. Beautiful light lavender without markings. Rich glossy sheen. No flecking. Early and vigorous grower. Nice long spikes. Good cutter.

L-30c, 5 for \$1.00, M-20c, 7 for \$1.00.

**NELLIE LOU** (Lines). 542. Flesh pink with small strawberry throat mark. Opens 10 ruffled 5½-inch florets on a 20-bud spike. Tall grower. Won "Sweepstakes" Oregon State Fair, 1953. You'll love it.

L-35c, 4 for \$1.00, M-25c, 6 for \$1.00.

**NOWETA ROSE.** 568. Medium-deep rose lavender. Very popular. Makes great show spikes. Does best from medium bulbs.

M-20c, 6 for \$1.00.

**ORCHID MARVEL.** A giant orchid lavender of great beauty. One of the best. 100 per cent cutter.

L-25c, 5 for \$1.00, M-20c, 6 for \$1.00.

**PENNANT.** 440. Clear soft light pink with many open. Beautiful.

M-30c, 4 for \$1.00.

**PEG O' MY HEART.** 400. Pure white with a glossy sheen. Very early. 100 per cent cutter. Long spike, 19 buds. Outstanding.

L-50c, 3 for \$1.00, M-30c, 4 for \$1.00; Blts., 20 for \$1.00.

**PINK HARMONY.** 540. Simply grand. Very early Great commercial and show glad.

M-\$1.50, 3 for \$4.00.

**POLYNESIE.** 430. Old but still one of the very best. Pure salmon, without markings. Opens 10-5-inch florets on a 20-bud spike. Has an AA-90 rating. Superb.

**L-20c, 6 for \$1.00; M-7 for \$1.00.**

**POINSETTIA.** Clear scarlet red. Excellent cutter. **L-25c, 5 for \$1.00, M-4 for 50c.**

**PRINCESS.** 466. Clear medium deep lavender. Opens 10 well placed bloom. Excellent.

**M-75c, S-50c.**

**PROSPECTOR.** 410. Light yellow with amber throat. A sensation.

**M-75c, 3 for \$2.00.**

**QUEEN'S LACE.** Heavily ruffled creamy white with deep red throat dart. 19-bud spike. Rugged grower. You'll like this one.

**L-50c, M-35c, 3 for \$1.00; Blts., 20 for \$1.00.**

**REDSKIN.** 436. Very early, bright scarlet red. Slightly darker in throat. Opens 9-5½-inch florets on a 20-bud spike. Healthy, husky grower. Excellent. Don't miss this one.

**M-35c, 5 for \$1.40.**

**RENFRO** (Lines). 1955 release. A beautiful old rose. Opens 10-5-inch ruffled florets on a 20-bud spike. Facing and spacing perfect. Healthy grower and good propagator. Will hold in the hottest weather. Very outstanding. Priced so all can try it.

**L-\$1.00, 3 for \$2.50, M-75c, 5 for \$3.25.**

**RUFFLED GOLD** (Lines). 512. Head is a bit short, but it makes up for that in beauty. Heavily ruffled, well placed florets. Nothing more beautiful.

**L-35c, 4 for \$1.00, M-25c, 6 for \$1.00.**

**ROSE PLUME** (Lines). A complete break in color. Very soft velvety rose, slightly on the red side of rose. Opens 10-5½-inch florets on an 18-bud spike.

**L-50c, 3 for \$1.25, M-35c, 4 for \$1.00.**

**SIERRA SNOW.** 400. Tall, vigorous white with cream throat. Makes Championship spikes.

**M-20c, 6 for \$1.00.**

**SNOWCLAD.** 500. A greatly improved Sierra Snow. This should go places.

**M-75c, 3 for \$2.00.**

**Sprite.** 320. Lovely light golden orange. Opens 10 heavily ruffled florets. Excellent.

**M-30c, 4 for \$1.00.**

**TAN GLO.** 480. Rosy tan with smoky sheen. This will soon lead the smoky class. Wonderful.

**M-\$2.00, 3 for \$5.50.**

**THE DOVE.** Smooth dove color, with attractive throat markings. Very attractive. Everyone likes it.

**L-25c, 5 for \$1.00, M-20c, 6 for \$1.00.**

**THE PHEASANT** (Lines). 380. Basic color tan, with golden bronze in throat. Have never seen a more lovely little smoky. Always wins on the show table.

**L-50c, 3 for \$1.25, M-35c, 5 for \$1.00.**

**THE RAJAH.** 570. Very attractive royal purple.

**M-2 for 25c, 10 for \$1.00.**

**TREVELER.** 460. Beautiful light rose pink, with deeper throat. Opens 12 florets on a 24-bud spike. Highly recommended.

**M-\$2.00, 3 for \$5.50.**

**VISION** (Roberts). 331. Light salmon and cream combination. Will open 12 heavily ruffled florets on a 20-bud spike. Great show winner. Don't miss this one.

**M-\$1.00, S-50c.**



#### **MAGIC WEEDER HOE**

Something different in a hoe. One that takes the back break out of hoeing. With this narrow blade one can slip in between the plants and PICK the weeds out. The square corners (at end of cutting blade) are the secret of this hoe's value. You can get right up against a plant and get the weeds without injury to the plant. The cutting blade is 7 inches long by 1 inch wide, and thin as a knife blade. You just skim under the ground cutting off the weeds, but leaving the ground perfectly level. With one stroke you can cut a 7 inch wide strip, from 16 to 20 inches long, and with far less effort. Thus one can hoe twice as much in the same time as with any other hoe.

#### **OUR GUARANTEE**

Use the hoe one full season, and if you are not highly pleased with it, just notify me and I will refund the price you paid. One large gardener first ordered three, then he soon ordered five more, saying all his help wanted them. Price complete with handle and postpaid, only \$2.50. Just try it, that's all we ask.

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**POSTAGE:** If you will add a little to help on the postage, I will put in double that amount in extra bulbs, or a very choice premium bulb. Thanks.

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